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Sent: 3/25/2020 4:51:42 PM
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Subject: RE: Status of Revised Agreement?
Attachments: 2020.03.24 Draft Confidentiality Agreement with US EPA re Schnitzer Steel Oakland (DTSC edits).doc

Hi Melanie,

Thanks for checking in... I sent the draft to DTSC first for their review.

Ex. 7(A)

Best,

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EXTERNAL:

Any progress with this?

From: Morkner, Christina@EPA <Christina.Morkner@calepa.ca.gov>
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Thank you Melanie.

I will circle back after communicating with the other parties.

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EXTERNAL:

Good morning,

Thank you for turning this around quickly. The changes are acceptable to me and DOJ. Please circulate to the other California parties.

Looking forward to finalizing these agreements.

Melanie

From: Morkner, Christina@EPA <Christina.Morkner@calepa.ca.gov>
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Hi Melanie,

It was nice talking to you by phone today.

Please find attached the last 2/26 DOJ version of the agreement with redline edits reflecting what we discussed on the phone today.
I put in comment bubbles to explain the edits.

Most of the edits after paragraph #1 are necessary to use the "Parties" and "Party" as defined in para # 1 throughout the rest of the document. (And there are few other minor edits to make minor corrections as noted in comments.)

I also added in paragraph #12 (that was #13 in prior DTSC version) that we discussed on the phone, which fleshes out and clarifies prior paragraph on the ability of one party to terminate their participation in the agreement and that the agreement continues among other parties (see comment bubbles on that also).

Please let me know if these revisions are acceptable to you and Steve.

After we are in agreement, I will circulate to the other California parties and explain what we discussed.

We look forward to finalizing these agreements so we can proceed with working with you on these important matters.

Thank you,

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